

Alexandria Gazette.
THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 7 1899

LOCAL MATTERS.

can rise tomorrow at 7:30 a. m. and set at 4:44. High water at 12:07 a. m. and 10:00 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this morning, increasing cloudiness; warmer tonight; Friday warmer with rain; winds becoming fresh from east.

MA-ONIC.

The arrangements for the observance of the death of Washington, Dec. 14th, are being rapidly perfected. Col. Robert White, of Wheeling, W. Va., who has been appointed grand marshal of the Washington Centennial, has appointed the following aides: Col. Harry Hodges of Norfolk; Ed. S. Conner of Winchester; Elmer Warfield, of Alexandria; J. Park Curran, of Fredericksburg; Major Wm. H. Sands, of Richmond; R. D. Doherty, of Fairfax; C. H. M. Boykin and Capt. F. W. Cunningham, of Richmond, and Dr. J. W. Bryant, of Crewe. The assistant grand marshal in the parade will be Harry Sandford, of Washington.

The following is a list of the assistant grand marshals: J. E. Alexander, Ashby; Theodore H. Ficklin, O. P. Anderson, Frank Hunt, A. A. Warfield, W. L. Allen, W. R. Purvis, C. H. B. Marshall, H. K. Field, Thos. J. L. Seuer, of Bland, and B. F. Buchanan, of Marion. The assistant aides are to meet at 313 King street at 6 p. m. Wednesday for instructions. The Masons are to meet at the Opera House at 9 a. m. on Thursday.

Children will wear black clothes, white aprons and white gloves. Benjamin Aitchison, master of a Masonic Lodge of Alexandria, has received the following letter from the Earl of Londesborough, London:

"I am glad to hear that an explanation is due to the reason why my mother lodge and myself have sent such large numbers to Washington's great-grandfather at North Cave, in the east of Yorkshire, not far from Beverley and Londesborough. You can easily imagine that we, as riding men, are not a little proud of our connection, remote though it may be, with this great man whose family we therefore believe came originally from Yorkshire, and we have endeavored to show by the only means in our power our appreciation of the occasion. Believe me, yours, very truly and fraternally, 'LONDESBOURGH'."

The wreath referred to was sent by the Earl and his lodge to be placed on the tomb of Washington during the ceremonies to be held at Mount Vernon next Thursday and is intended as a tribute of respect from the Englishman and his associates. The wreath has not yet arrived here, but is expected daily.

Mr. B. Aitchison, master of Washington Lodge, has appointed the following as a committee on assignment to accommodations: E. S. Shinn, Millard P. Vincent, J. R. Dismar and Charles D. Chandler, Mr. Charles B. Marshall, master of Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons, has appointed the following committee from his lodge, who will cooperate with the above-named gentlemen: R. F. Dowham, James E. King, J. E. W. Timmerman, C. G. Lennon, W. Balenger and Harry Hammond.

The arrangements for the grand banquet to the Grand Lodge of Virginia, which will be held in Armory Hall on the evening of the 13th inst., have been nearly perfected, and everything will be in readiness for the occasion.

The banquet, as heretofore stated, will be in charge of the ladies of the city, with Mr. J. E. Alexander as manager. The ladies met yesterday evening to make arrangements for the banquet and will meet again tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the M.asonic Temple. Armory Hall will be beautifully decorated and lighted with electricity. Dr. W. M. Smith, chairman of the banquet committee, has the entire matter in charge.

The Alexandria Masons will meet at their lodge rooms tomorrow night to make arrangements for entertaining their visiting brethren.

LODGE OF WASHINGTON.—The edition of the Lodge of Washington, a history of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons of this city, compiled by the late F. L. Brockett and G. W. Rock and published in 1875, having become exhausted, another edition, issued under a resolution of the lodge in April, 1897, has just been published, together with an appendix bearing the records down to the present, prepared by Past Master A. G. Ulmer. This is a most interesting volume, not only to Masons but to Alexandrians generally, as it contains much historical information relating to this city and the people thereof. This volume was printed by Messrs. G. H. Ramsey & Sons in the handsomest style and reflects credit upon their establishment. The book is handsomely illustrated.

CONCERT.—The concert given by the Chapter of Praise of St. Paul's Parish in their new hall, Norton Memorial, last night was a success, in every particular. Those who took part in the performance were the Chapter of Praise, Miss Annie Usher, Misses Helwig, Mr. Whitley, Miss Sara Taylor, Mr. Horatio Wrench, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Mr. John Chapman, Miss Caroline Evans, Miss Greenwell, Mrs. H. B. Holmfield, Mr. George H. Evans and Mr. Sherman B. Fowler. The hall is really a beautiful one and is prettily furnished. The gas fixtures, which are very handsome, were put up by Mr. J. A. C. Carr. The chandelier is the gift of Mrs. Dodge.

A CORRECTION.—In a local item published in Monday's issue of the Gazette it was stated that Washington presided over the Alexandria Lodge of Masons at the time of his death. This was incorrect. Washington was master of the lodge from April 28, 1788, until December 27, 1789, when he was succeeded by Dr. Elisha C. Dick. Dr. Dick was 23rd master of the lodge when Washington died December 14, 1799.

A YOUNG MAN for fraudulently obtaining goods from an upper King street merchant was before the Mayor this morning and was fined ten dollars or given thirty days on the chain gang. Officer Wilkinson, in whose beat the offense occurred, had his attention directed to the suspicious actions of the accused and he industriously and skillfully worked up the case.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of GAY'S CHILLS AND FEVER TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. 50c.

U. D. C.—The regular meeting of the 17th Va. Reg't Chapter, U. D. C., was held yesterday afternoon with a full attendance.

Interesting reports were read of the proceedings of the State convention, held in Portsmouth in October, and of the U. D. C. convention, held in Richmond, in November.

A letter was read from Bull Run Chapter, asking for a contribution to the fund for enclosing the cemetery containing graves of 500 Confederates. Five dollars was given in response. An appeal was made by one of the members in behalf of a very needy old Confederate, living in Washington. As the call seemed urgent, and had been investigated and found as represented, five dollars was contributed.

Some change in the badge of the chapter being found desirable, it was decided that it had better be turned over to a committee, and the president appointed three to take charge of the matter.

Among other business transacted at the U. D. C. convention, was that referring to Badges of Honor to be given to U. D. C. by the U. D. C. The plan met with hearty approval, and a resolution was passed unanimously, to have the medals issued immediately, Mrs. Gabbett, of Atlanta, being appointed custodian. At an interview held with Mrs. Gabbett in Richmond, she was notified that the 17th Va. Reg't Chapter would order some on return of delegates to Alexandria.

This matter was brought before the meeting and fully endorsed, and a resolution passed ordering the secretary to make application for one hundred. These will be presented to members of Lee Camp, U. C. V., on the 19th of January, if delivered in time, or failing that, at the earliest meeting of the camp.

PERSONAL.—Miss Kate Patterson, of Alexandria, a beautiful and attractive young lady, has been spending some time with relatives at Sapparda.—[Richmond News.]

Rev. J. Ernest Thacker has been asked to accept a church in another city at a salary of \$2,400 and has the matter under consideration. Mr. Thacker has refused several flattering offers since he came among us and it is hoped that he will remain in the city.

Mr. J. T. Callahan has gone to Augusta, Ga., to spend the winter.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.—Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.—Ellen C. Daingerfield vs. Henry Daingerfield et al., decree confirming sale of a part of the Goldsborough tract to R. E. Marshall.

Watkins vs. W. A. & M. V. Ry. Co., plaintiff granted leave to amend declaration.

O. I. Little vs. Julius Lansburgh Furniture Co., jury and case in progress.

DEATH OF MRS. DOWNEY.—Mrs. Mary Downey, widow of Thomas Downey, whose critical illness was mentioned in yesterday's Gazette, died at her home on West Franklin street at one o'clock today. The deceased had been paralyzed about a year ago. She was 66 years old. Mrs. Downey leaves eight children—six sons and two daughters.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

There were nineteen lodgers at the station house last night.

A fine row belonging to Mr. F. E. Downham strayed away last night.

Last night was quite cold, and more ice formed along the river shore than on any night this season.

It is reported that the wife and children of a man who recently married a young lady in this city have arrived here from the North on the lookout for the transient.

In the Corporation Court today in the case of W. J. Arrington vs. F. P. Arrington a decree was entered confirming the sale of a house and lot on Queen street.

Captain Thomas Perry will tonight at Lee Camp Hall read a narrative of his war experience. The reading will be under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary, and all Confederate soldiers are invited to attend.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to George W. Crumbee and Margaret A. Poole, both of Fairfax county; John W. Bozelle, of Meigs, and Edie Ermentrout, of Zanes, and A. Pitt Bowers, of Edinburg and Gertrude Feller.

The laying of the new floor in the Alexandria Light Infantry armory has been completed by Mr. J. T. Rodgers, the contractor, and it gives general satisfaction. The material used is of the best quality and the work was done in the best manner.

An Epworth League literary entertainment will be given in Trinity M. E. Church tonight, beginning at 7:30. The essays will be interspersed with vocal selections by the Alexandria's well known talent consisting of Mrs. Gimes, Misses Graves, Rebecca Polard and Florence Sullivan.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, dizziness, backache, fainting and hazy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, Druggist.

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